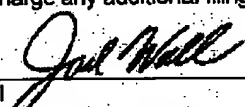
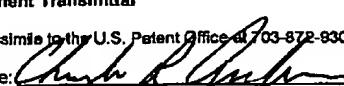
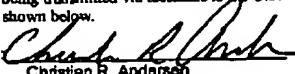


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Applicant(s): Brig B. Elliott					
Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR THE GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF RANDOM BITS					
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 11, 2004 ("Office Action"), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.